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"AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMMITTEE TO FACILITATE AN EXTENSION OF THE BAN ON SMOKING IN PUBLIC PLACES TO CASINOS."

- After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:
- "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2008*) (a) On and after October 1, 2008, any casino permittee that allows smoking to occur in a designated area of the casino premises shall provide all employees of the casino with the option of working exclusively in the nonsmoking areas of the casino. A casino permittee shall not force or otherwise coerce any employee to work in designated areas of the casino where smoking is permitted unless the employee consents in writing to work in designated areas where smoking is permitted.
 - (b) A casino permittee who violates the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall be subject to a civil penalty of five hundred dollars per employee per day for each day the violation occurs.

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14 (c) For purposes of this section "casino" has the same meaning as 15 provided in subsection (a) of section 30-37k of the general statutes."